

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 60th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON LONG-RANGE PLANNING

Call to Order: By Chairman Dave Kasten, on January 31, 2007 at 8:02 A.M., in Room 137 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Dave Kasten, Chairman (R)
Sen. Mike Cooney, Vice Chairman (D)
Sen. Gregory D. Barkus (R)
Sen. John Brueggeman (R)
Rep. Tim Callahan (D)
Rep. Galen Hollenbaugh (D)

Members Excused:

Sen. Trudi Schmidt (D)
Rep. John Sinrud (R)

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Donci Bardash, Committee Secretary
Mark Bruno, OBPP
Catherine Duncan, Legislative Branch

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Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: HB 5, 1/3/2007
Executive Action: None.

00:00:12 Ms. Duncan
00:00:55 Rep. Kasten
00:01:54 Ms. Duncan

CONTINUED PRESENTATIONS ON HB 5

00:02:16 Rep. Kasten

**PRESENTATION ON HOUSING UNIT UPGRADES FOR
MONTANA STATE PRISON:**

00:02:33 Mike Mahoney, Montana State Prison

Proponents' Testimony: None.

Opponents' Testimony: None.

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:09:07 Rep. Kasten
00:10:55 Mr. Mahoney
00:10:59 Jim Whaley, Department of Administration

**PRESENTATION ON EXPANDING WORK DORM FOR
MONTANA STATE PRISON:**

00:11:35 Mr. Mahoney

Proponents' Testimony: None.

Opponents' Testimony: None.

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:15:13 Sen. Barkus
00:18:05 Mr. Mahoney
00:18:10 Rep. Callahan
00:19:02 Mr. Mahoney

**PRESENTATION ON EXPANDING FOOD SERVICE CAPACITY FOR
MONTANA STATE PRISON:**

00:19:12 Mr. Mahoney

Proponents' Testimony: None.

Opponents' Testimony: None.

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:21:48 Sen. Barkus

00:21:58 Mr. Mahoney

**PRESENTATION ON INSTALLING A GENERATOR AT
MONTANA MENTAL HEALTH NURSING CARE CENTER (MMHNCC) :**

00:22:37 Joe Triem, Department of Administration, Architecture
and Engineering Division

Proponents' Testimony: None.

Opponents' Testimony: None.

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:26:25 Rep. Kasten

**PRESENTATION ON SECURE TREATMENT AND EXAMINATION PROGRAM (STEP)
PROGRAM RENOVATIONS AT MONTANA STATE HOSPITAL:**

00:26:42 Mr. Triem

00:26:54 Deb Matteucci, Department of Public Health and
Human Services (DPHHS)/Department of Corrections (DOC)

EXHIBIT(jlh21a01)

Proponents' Testimony:

00:39:11 Mr. Whaley

00:40:24 Mike Ferriter, DOC

00:44:31 Joan Miles, DPHHS

00:49:09 Ed Amberg, Montana State Hospital

00:53:40 Mr. Mahoney

Opponents' Testimony:

00:56:11 Anita Roessman, Montana Advocacy Program

EXHIBIT(jlh21a02)

EXHIBIT(jlh21a03)

EXHIBIT(jlh21a04)

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

01:04:33 Rep. Kasten

01:05:23 Mr. Ferriter

01:07:43 Rep. Kasten

01:07:57 Mr. Ferriter

01:08:55 Rep. Hollenbaugh

01:09:23 Mr. Ferriter
01:10:06 Sen. Barkus
01:10:34 Ms. Roessman
01:13:09 Sen. Barkus
01:13:15 Ms. Roessman
01:13:25 Rep. Kasten
01:13:36 Ms. Roessman
01:14:30 Sen. Barkus
01:14:41 Ms. Matteucci
01:15:09 Rep. Kasten
01:16:01 Sen. Barkus
01:18:05 Mr. Whaley
01:18:08 Rep. Callahan
01:18:52 Rep. Kasten
01:19:50 Mr. Amberg
01:21:19 Rep. Kasten
01:21:32 Mr. Triem
01:21:43 Mr. Whaley

01:22:52 Break
01:45:18 Reconvene

01:45:24 Ms. Duncan
01:47:04 Rep. Kasten
01:47:09 Ms. Duncan
01:47:15 Rep. Kasten

**PRESENTATION ON RENOVATION AND IMPROVEMENT SUPPORT SERVICES
AT MONTANA STATE HOSPITAL:**

01:47:29 Mr. Triem

Proponents' Testimony:

01:55:31 Mr. Amberg

Opponents' Testimony: None.

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

01:59:59 Rep. Kasten

PRESENTATION ON MODERNIZATION AT MMHNCC IN LEWISTOWN:

02:00:42 Mr. Triem

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

02:06:34 Rep. Kasten

02:06:47 Mr. Triem

Proponents' Testimony:

02:07:47 Joyce DeCunzo, DOC

Opponents' Testimony: None.

PRESENTATION ON MONTANA VETERAN'S HOME IMPROVEMENTS:

02:09:41 Mr. Triem

02:09:53 Rick Norine, DPHHS

[EXHIBIT\(jlh21a05\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jlh21a06\)](#)

02:12:46 Mr. Triem

Proponents' Testimony: None.

Opponents' Testimony: None.

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

02:13:17 Rep. Kasten

02:14:48 Mr. Norine

02:14:56 Kelly Williams, DPHHS Senior and Long-term Care
Division

02:16:24 Rep. Kasten

02:16:32 Mr. Norine

02:16:58 Rep. Barkus

PRESENTATION ON MONTANA STATE HOSPITAL CAMPUS IMPROVEMENTS:

02:17:26 Mr. Triem

Proponents' Testimony:

02:24:20 Mr. Amberg

Opponents' Testimony: None.

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

02:25:03 Sen. Barkus

02:26:04 Mr. Amberg

02:27:06 Rep. Callahan

02:27:23 Mr. Triem

02:30:51 Rep. Kasten

02:31:09 Ms. Duncan

Additional Exhibits:

This document was distributed on January 29, 2007 and relates to all projects with HB 5.

EXHIBIT(jlh21a07)

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EXHIBIT(jlh21a08)

ADJOURNMENT

02:31:43 Adjournment: 10:34 A.M.

REP. DAVE KASTEN, Chairman

DONCI BARDASH, Secretary

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Additional Exhibits:

EXHIBIT ([jlh21aad.pdf](#))